## MINUTES OF THE HOUSE NATURAL RESOURCES, AGRICULTURE, & ENVIRONMENT STANDING COMMITTEE

## Room C445, State Capitol

January 30, 2012

Members Present: Rep. Roger E. Barrus, Chair

Rep. Stephen Sandstrom, Vice Chair

Rep. Joel Briscoe Rep. Mel Brown Rep. Brad Dee Rep. Jack Draxler Rep. Brad Galvez Rep. Neal Hendrickson Rep. John Mathis

Rep. John Mathis Rep. Mike Noel Rep. Patrick Painter Rep. Doug Sagers Rep. Christine Watkins Rep. Ryan Wilcox

**Staff Present:** Mr. J Brian Allred, Policy Analyst

Ms. An Bradshaw, Committee Secretary

**Note:** A list of visitors and handouts are filed with committee minutes

Vice Chair Sandstrom called the meeting to order at 2:05 p.m.

**MOTION:** Rep. Galvez made a motion to approve the minutes of Jan. 24, 2012. The motion

passed unanimously.

S.B. 15 Off-highway Vehicles Amendments (Sen. R. Okerlund) (Rep. J. Draxler)

Sen. Okerlund introduced the bill to the committee with the assistance of Chris Haller, Utah State Parks.

Rep. Dee introduced 1st Sub. SB15.

**MOTION:** Rep. Dee moved to adopt 1st Sub. SB15. The motion passed unanimously with

Rep. Sagers absent.

Spoke for the substitution: Col. Daniel Fuhr, Utah Highway Patrol

Spoke against the bill: Mr. Michael Swenson, USA-ALL

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**MOTION:** Rep. Mathis moved to hold SB15. The motion passed with Rep. Dee, Rep. Draxler, and Rep. Hendrickson voting in opposition. Rep. Sagers was absent for the vote.

## H.B. 86 Posting of Trespass (Rep. J. Mathis)

Rep. Mathis introduced the bill to the committee.

**MOTION:** Rep. Mathis moved to amend the bill as follows:

- 1. Page 1, Line 13:
  - This bill:
    - modifies the definition of "properly posted";
- 2. *Page 2, Lines 43 through 46:* 
  - 43 (d) "Properly posted" means that {"No Trespassing"} signs prohibiting trespass or {a minimum of 100 square
  - 44 inches of bright yellow, bright orange, or fluorescent paint are clearly displayed:
    - (i) at all corners, fishing
  - streams crossing property lines, roads, gates, and rights-of-way entering the land { . If metal
  - 46 fence posts are used, the entire exterior side shall be painted. } : or

    (ii) in a manner that would reasonably be expected to be seen by a person in the area.
- 3. *Page 3, Lines 59 through 65:* 
  - (B) the owner's employee; or
  - 60 (C) a person with apparent authority to act for the owner; or
  - (ii) the land is fenced or otherwise enclosed in a manner that a reasonable person
  - would recognize as intended to exclude intruders {; or
  - 63 (iii) signs or markers are posted on the land that:
  - 64 (A) indicate a property boundary or prohibit entry; and
  - (B) would reasonably be expected to be seen by a person in the area.

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Spoke for the bill: Mr. Mike Fowlks, Utah Department of Wildlife Resources

The motion to amend passed unanimously with Rep. Dee, Rep. Draxler, Rep. Noel, and Rep. Painter absent.

**MOTION:** Rep. Wilcox moved to pass the bill out favorably as amended. The motion

passed favorably with Rep. Noel and Rep. Painter absent for the vote.

**MOTION:** Rep. Brown moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously with

Rep. Noel and Rep. Painter absent for the vote.

Vice Chair Sandstrom adjourned the meeting at 3:09 p.m.

Rep. Roger E. Barrus, Chair